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Letter of Protest

Docket No. 2020-229-E

Date: * 3/01/2021

Protestant Information:	
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City, State Zip *	Asheville NC
E-mail	

1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

I am the owner of Pisgah Energy, a solar development firm focused on developing projects within the commercial, industrial and local government sectors. While we are based in NC, we also do work in South Carolina.

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

I am writing on behalf of Pisgah Energy in opposition to Dominion Energy's proposal to add grid access charges, a monthly subscription cost for solar customers and a low export rate for net metering customers. By inflating solar costs and devaluing investments, we believe this proposal would be detrimental to the expansion of rooftop solar in Dominion territory and erode the financial benefits of solar for current customers as well.

As a commercial solar developer who does work in South Carolina, the proposed changes would result in decreased sales for us and cause significant harm to an industry that currently employs 4,000 South Carolinians.

For all these reasons, we strongly urge you to deny Dominion's proposal and require the establishment of a rooftop solar program that has fair and reasonable fees, compensation for solar producers and valuation of solar energy.

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony?

No

Signature Required: CDB